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REFTELS B AND C REPORT SOME CHANGES IN EGYPTIAN BANK
PRACTICES RELATING TO BOYCOTT LANGUAGE. OUR INFORMATION ON THESE
CHANGES HAS BEEN DEVELOPED INDIRECTLY FROM AMERICAN
BANKS AND FOREIGN COMPANIES. OUR BEST FOREIGN CONTACT ON
PRACTICE OF BANQUE DU CAIRE WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE FOR ABOUT
TWO WEEKS. WE DO NOT THINK IT WILL BE FRUITFUL TO DIRECTLY
RAISE THIS SENSITIVE QUESTION DIRECTLY WITH BANQUE
DU CAIRE. IN ANY CASE, WE IMAGINE JIDDA BRANCH MORE GUIDED
BY SAUDI PRACTICES ON BOYCOTT THAN INSTRUCTIONS FROM CAIRO BECAUSE
IT IS OPERATING AS SAUDI BANK.
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